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SUBJ: VISIT OF JAPANESE ANTI-NUCLEAR BOMB DELEGATION TO  
TRUST TERRITORIES

1. MAINICHI NEWSPAPER OCTOBER 11 CARRIES REPORT UNDER HIROSHIMA  
DATELINE THAT EIGHT-MEMBER DELEGATION WILL VISIT TRUST TERRI-  
TORIES FROM OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 10 TO EXAMINE SITUATION  
OF DIAGNOSIS AND MEDICAL TREATMENT OF NUCLEAR VICTIMS, PLAN  
FUTURE CONTACTS AND JOINT ACTIVITIES BETWEEN MICRONISIAN AND  
JAPANESE NUCLEAR VICTIMS, AND EXCHANGE EXPERIENCES". PRESS  
ITEM DESCRIBES DELEGATION MEMBERS AS ASSOCIATED WITH  
"GENSUIKEN", JAPANESE SOCIALIST PARTY AFFILIATED ANTI  
A-H-BOMB ORGANIZATION. IDENTIFIED INDIVIDUALS ARE MAMORU NISHIMOTO,  
OFFICE DIRECTOR OF ZENDENTSU (TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH UNION)"  
"HIROSHIMA SECOND GENERATION NUCLEAR VICTIMS ORGANIZATION".  
NOBORU MATSUNAKA, CHAIRMAN OF JICHIRO (LOCAL GOVERNMENT WORKERS  
UNION)" HIROSHIMA PREFECTURAL HEADEQUARTERS  
NUCLEAR VICTIMS ORGANIZATION", AND CHUSEI MATSUKI, OFFICE  
DIRECTOR OF ZENDENTSU" HIROSHIMA NUCLEAR VICTIMS ASSOCIATION".  
GROUP REPORTEDLY PLANS TO CENTER EFFORTS ON PONAPE AND MAJURO  
WHERE MICRNESIAN NUCLEAR VICTIMS SAID TO BE CONCENTRATED.

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ITEM STATES PREVIOUS CONTACTS BETWEEN JAPANESE GROUP AND  
MICRONESIANS DATE FROM 1975 AND INCLUDE REQUEST FROM MICRONE-  
SIANS IN JUNE 1977 TO LEARN SITUATION OF HIROSHIMA  
VICTIMS CONCERNING MEDICAL TREATMENT.

2. POST HAS NO RECORD OF NAMED INDIVIDUALS. DELEGATION  
APPEARS TO RE PART OF CURRENT JAPANESE ANTI-NUCLEAR GROUPS

EFFORT TO REINVIGORATE THEIR OWN ACTIVITIES AND OBTAIN  
INCREASED INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT, PARTLY AT LEAST IN  
CONNECTION WITH UPCOMING UN SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMAMENT.  
ON BASIS OF GENERAL EXPERIENCE WITH GENSUKIN, WE WOULD  
NOT EXPECT DELEGATION TO ENGAGE IN OVERT DISRUPTIVE ACTIVITIES  
BUT THEY ARE LIKELY TO ENCOURAGE MICRONESIANS WITH CLAIM TO  
NUCLEAR VICTIM STATUS TO PRESS FOR ADDITIONAL MEDICAL CARE  
AND COMPENSATION, AND TO OPPOSE ALL FORMS OF U.S. MILITARY  
PRESENCE IN TRUST TERRITORIES.  
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